

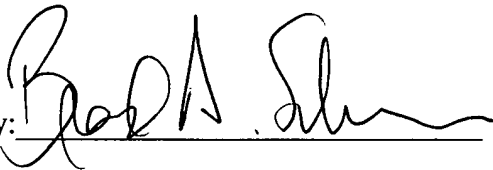
REMARKS

A Restriction Requirement under 35 U.S.C. §121 was mailed to the Applicant on November 2, 2006 asserting that the pending claims 1, 2, 5-15, 17, 18, 20, 34-37, 40, 46, 47, 50-52, 54, 56 and 59-82 are directed to multiple inventions.

In response to the Restriction Requirement, the Applicant elects Invention Group I including claims 1, 2, 5-15, 17, 18, 20, 34-37, 52, 54, 56 and 59-75.

Further consideration and allowance of the subject application in view of the foregoing election is respectfully requested. The Examiner is encouraged to contact the undersigned by telephone to resolve any outstanding matters concerning the subject application.

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